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## ORDAINED MINISTERS

J. D. Bridges; W. G. Camp; J. V. Devenney; T. W. Ebeltoft; Sylvester Elliott; W. A. Elam; J. O. Fulbright; Jas. Y. Green; J. M. Goode; G. P. Horn; J. T. Hord; I. D. Harrill; A. C. Irvin; W. J. Jones; W. O. Johnson; J. Marcus Kester; W. G. Moore; B. F. Newton; Rush Padgett; J. W. Suttle; A. H. Sims; D. A. Tedder; D. G. Washburn; F. G. Walker; C. J. Woodson.

## ORDER OF BUSINESS—FIRST DAY

10:00 A. M.—Devotional Exercise—Organization.

10:45 A. M.—Introductory Sermon.

11:30 A. M.—Biblical Recorder.

12:00 M.—Miscellaneous business.

1:30 P. M.—Sunday Schools.

2:10 P. M.—State, Home and Foreign Missions.

3:15 P. M.—Miscellaneous business.

## SECOND DAY

9:30 A. M.—Devotional Exercise.

10:00 A. M.—Church Finance.

10:30 A. M.—Education—Christian, Ministerial and Boiling Springs High School.

12:15 P. M.—Miscellaneous business.

1:30 P. M.—Orphanage.

2:10 P. M.—Aged Minister Relief.

2:35 P. M.—Temperance, Social Evils and Public Morals.

3:15 P. M.—Miscellaneous business.

## THIRD DAY

9:30 A. M.—Devotional Exercise.

10:00 A. M.—Woman's Work.

10:30 A. M.—B. Y. P. U.

11:30 A. M.—Obituaries.

11:30 A. M.—Time and Place; Finance; Treasurer's report. Miscellaneous business and Adjournment.

## PROCEEDINGS

The Kings Mountain Baptist Association met in its seventy-first annual session, with the Bethlehem Baptist church, on the 7th, 8th and 9th days of September 1921.

### WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 7TH

The Association began its session by the singing of several songs; Bro. A. C. Irvin conducting devotional exercises, Scripture reading being the 103rd Psalm, following which Brethren J. O. Fulbright and B. M. Bridges led in prayer.

At 10:15, the Moderator, J. W. Suttle, called the Association to order and appointed Brethren A. V. Washburn, J. W. Irvin, E. C. Borders and J. F. Dickson to distribute cards for the enrollment of delegates and the following enrolled their names:

**BEAVER DAM:** A. H. Padgett, H. H. McGinnis, W. H. Humphries, J. L. Blanton, R. E. Padgett and T. P. Hamrick.

**BETHLEHEM:** B. G. Logan, B. P. Dixon, T. H. Bridges and J. S. McSwain.

**BOILING SPRINGS:** Jno. M. Walker, Dan W. Moore, J. F. Moore, R. L. D. Green, E. B. Hamrick, L. W. Hamrick, E. W. Lipscomb, T. C. Hamrick, O. P. Hamrick, J. M. Green and J. M. Goode.

**BUFFALO:** P. M. Mauney.

**CASAR:** H. E. Peeler, J. F. Clippard and J. C. Downs, jr.

**CARPENTER'S GROVE:** J. P. Ledford and R. B. Brackett.

**DOUBLE SPRINGS:** S. J. Cabaniss, W. W. Washburn, J. L. Green, A. V. Washburn, B. B. Moore, T. B. Hamrick, C. A. Bridges and D. G. Washburn.

**DOUBLE SHOALS:** J. P. Smith, J. W. Scism, C. R. Spangler, S. C. Wilson and H. C. Royster.

**ELIZABETH:** A. P. Spake, John Mauney, J. Odell Long, E. C. Borders, Charles Wright and Lawrence Roberts.

**EAST KINGS MOUNTAIN:** J. J. Hicks, T. A. Hutchins, R. L.

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Chaney, J. A. Culberson and J. C. King.

FALLSTON: Gettys D. Hoyle, T. A. Stamey and E. G. Spurling.

FLINT HILL: J. F. Green and Edgar Moore.

GROVER: W. O. Johnson, J. L. Parker, D. J. Keeter, J. W. Shepard, W. J. Moss, L. B. Dickson and J. F. Dickson.

KINGS MOUNTAIN: W. D. Weaver, W. T. Parker, J. O. Fulbright, D. F. Hord, A. H. Sims and R. C. Gold.

LATTIMORE: R. M. Wilson, J. G. Canipe, Miss Lottie M. Crowder, Miss Maggie Beam, J. D. Eskridge, C. B. Hamrick and I. D. Harrill.

LAWNDALE: W. B. Denton, J. H. Southard and C. D. Forney.

MACEDONIA: S. C. Jolley and R. A. Bookout.

MT. SINAI: J. C. Bridges and S. C. Weaver.

NEW BETHEL: Forest Hord, D. F. Beam, J. W. Suttle, J. V. Deveney, Frank Elam and C. C. Fortenberry.

NEW HOPE: Robert Turner, Jno. A. Wilson, M. C. Blanton, W. D. Earl, A. E. Bettis and P. C. Lavender.

NEW PROSPECT: E. C. Carpenter, C. C. Beam, W. S. Alexander, Jno F. Cline, J. B. Smith and O. C. Dixon.

NORMANS GROVE: J. M. Norman and W. B. Downs.

NORTH BROOK: T. M. Sweezy.

OAK GROVE: H. B. Ledford, W. C. Blanton, W. P. Lovelace and H. M. Ware.

PATTERSON GROVE: I. H. Patterson.

PLEASANT RIDGE: P. C. Blanton, W. E. Walker and G. L. Hamrick.

PLEASANT GROVE: Sylvanus Gardner, Ed. Hamrick, J. P. Costner, V. A. Gardner and D. G. Mauney.

PATTERSON STATION: N. B. Gladden and G. M. Borders.

POPLAR SPRINGS: A. M. Hamrick, J. B. Wallace, J. C. Ham-



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rick, E. L. Holland, J. D. Elliott, jr., and J. E. Morehead.

PLEASANT HILL: R. Roberts, L. I. Kendrick, M. C. Putnam and R. B. Francis.

ROSS GROVE: C. L. Allen, D. L. Houser, R. A. Spangler and L. A. Cabaniss.

SANDY PLAINS: S. C. Brooks, F. G. Walker, Z. R. Walker, Roy Padgett, Ed Walker and B. P. Jenkins.

SHELBY FIRST: L. F. McBrayer, Geo. Blanton, R. L. Weathers, H. A. Logan, J. H. Quinn, J. J. Lattimore, H. D. Wilson, C. J. Woodson, O. M. Mull, Jno. P. Mull, Robert H. Hartness and B. T. Falls.

SHELBY SECOND: W. A. Elam, W. O. R. Putnam, B. E. Putnam, C. A. Morrison, D. R. Williams and H. L. Toms.

THOMASSON GROVE: M. M. Patterson and L. C. Hord.

UNION: C. C. Blanton, J. E. Champion, N. O. White, J. C. Campbell, Geo. M. Gold and B. F. Powell.

WACO: A. W. Black, S. L. Dellinger, J. W. Stroup and Joe Kendrick.

ZION: J. W. Irvin, F. P. Gold, J. M. Wilson, Grady Wilson, A. C. Irvin and G. T. Cabaniss.

ZOAR: W. H. McSwain, M. O. Mcntyre, J. L. Putnam, S. B. Hamrick and E. A. Street

On motion of Brother J. H. Quinn, the rules were suspended and all the old officers of the Association, to-wit; J. W. Suttle, Moderator, Jno. P. Mull, Vice Moderator, J. J. Lattimore, Clerk and George Blanton, Treasurer, were re-elected.

The following visitors were recognized: Brethren Z. D. Harrill, Moderator and G. B. Pruett, Clerk of the Sandy Run Association, M. M. Green, W. A. Blanton, and B. M. Bridges of the Sandy Run Association, W. W. Remer of the Gaston Association, W. R. Beach, representing the Recorder, ----- Isenhour of Alabama, M. E. Cotton, representing the Anti-Saloon League and F. B. Hamrick, representing the Orphanage.



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The following new pastors were received into the association: Brethren J. O. Fulbright, of Kings Mountain and W. O. Johnson, of Grover and Rush Padgett.

Brother W. G. Moore, who was appointed to preach the Introductory Sermon, being absent, Brother W. G. Camp proceeded to preach the Introductory Sermon, reading the 10th chapter of Luke. His text being the 36th verse: "Which now of these three thinkest thou was neighbor unto him that fell among the thieves". His subject being: "The Good Samaritan." This subject he very ably presented, likening the travelers unto humanity, the Priest and Levite as our religious leaders and the Good Samaritan as a good neighbor, clearly showing us a neglected duty we owe to humanity.

Following the sermon Brother W. O. Johnson led in prayer.

Brother J. J. Hicks read the following:

### REPORT ON BIBLICAL RECORDER.

For 88 years the Biblical Recorder has been the organ of North Carolina Baptist. During these years its influence which it has wielded over the Baptist in this state, has done much toward the promotion of every department of the denominational work. Its pages are used freely by the servants of the denomination who have charge of our institutions and varied enterprises. The paper is true to its name. It is Biblical in its teachings and records the acts of North Carolina Baptists from week to week. It stands for the Baptist cause and the winning of souls for Christ, for the enlightenment and edification of the soul and for the enlistment of our people for service in the various phases of the denominational and world wide Christian work. It stands for the true Baptist doctrines, as we hold and interpret it according to the teaching of the new Testament. It stands ready at any time to go to the defence of our great principles when necessity demands it. The Recorder is more than a denominational paper. It is also a family paper of the best type. In its columns it carries the most wholesome matter to the family circle. It gives notes on the current events and publishes a digest of the important acts that occur during the week. The news letters that it gives from the various churches and pastors are very important and in a large way is a helpful feature to the paper and its many readers. Its columns, which contain notes from the mis-

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sionaries on the foreign fields, enables its readers to respond more readily to the great mission work. The last page in the Recorder is for the home, and we believe that much care is taken by the editor in selecting matter for this page. The Recorder is owned and controlled by a joint stock company, which was organized by request of the Convention about 21 years ago, to own and publish the paper. But while it is under private ownership, a committee of seven, appointed by the Convention, act with the seven directors, when the election of an editor is necessary. This puts the selection of an editor practically in the hands of the Convention. Since the high cost of printing has returned to its normal state, again the Recorder returns to its normal price \$2.00 per year. In some of our Churches the budget plan has been adopted for the Recorder. If all our Churches would adopt the budget plan, and see to it that at least 75 per cent. of the members have access to the Recorder, in their homes, then the collection could be taken for the Recorder as it is for State Missions, or any other object. By this plan we believe that a greater and more efficient work will be done by the Recorder for the Baptist cause in this state. Believing that the work that the Recorder has been and is doing is far reaching in its effort upon our denominational life and prosperity, therefore, we your committee, recommend and urge that every pastor and leading member in our Churches of the Association make a greater effort than ever before to place the Recorder in every home in this Association.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. HICKS.

Pending motion to adopt the foregoing report, same was discussed by Brethren J. J. Hicks and W. R. Beach, after which the report was adopted.

The Macedonia and Thomasson Grove Baptist Churches asked to be admitted to membership in this Association and Brethren J. O. Fulbright, A. C. Irvin and Rush Padgett were appointed a committee to examine the credentials and report at the afternoon session.

The following committees were appointed:

RELIGIOUS EXERCISE: Pastor and Deacons of Bethlehem Church.

CHURCH FINANCE: O. M. Mull, F. G. Walker and T. P. Hamrick.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS: Jno. P. Mull, W. D. Earl and G. D. Hoyle.



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MINISTERIAL RELIEF: I. D. Harrill, J. F. Clippard and O. C. Dixon.

WOMAN'S WORK: W. A. Elam, F. P. Gold and Forrest Hord.

ORPHANAGE: D. G. Washburn, S. B. Hamrick and S. M. Hamrick.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION: J. M. Kester, L. A. Cabaniss and B. G. Logan.

FOREIGN MISSIONS: W. G. Moore, T. A. Stamey and J. C. King.  
STATE MISSIONS: J. M. Walker, M. C. Putnam and P. M. Mauney.

HOME MISSIONS: W. G. Camp, J. C. Bridges and G. M. Borders.

TEMPERANCE SOCIAL EVILS AND PUBLIC MORALS: D. J. Keeter, W. O. R. Putnam and N. O. White.

OBITUARIES: J. D. Bridges, M. C. Putnam and T. M. Sweezy.

B. Y. P. U.: O. P. Hamrick, A. H. Padgett and S. C. Wilson.

FINANCE: L. F. McBrayer, R. M. Wilson and A. W. Black.

TIME AND PLACE: A. E. Bettis, D. F. Hord and E. B. Hamrick.

The Association took a recess to 1:30 P. M.

Benediction by Brother I. D. Harrill.

## WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

The Association met at 1:30 according to order of recess.

Prayer by Brother Rush Padgett

The committee appointed to examine articles of faith of Macedonia and Thomasson Grove Churches, who asked for admission into this Association, made the following report:

We your committee appointed to examine the articles of faith and church covenant of the Macedonia and Thomasson Grove Baptist Churches, relative to their becoming members of this Association, make the following report. After an examination of their Church covenant



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and articles of faith and finding same to be orthodox, recommend that they be received into the membership of this body.

J. O. Fulbright  
Rush Padgett      Committee.  
A. C. Irvin

Upon motion the foregoing recommendation was adopted and delegates names ordered enrolled.

Brother Jno. P. Mull read the following:

### REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

The Sunday school is one of the most important parts of the church work. It is the one department of the work of the church which is open to all classes and ages of the church and community. Some one has said that 75 per cent. of all the members received into the different churches comes through the Sunday school. In view of these facts it is surprising to see how little interest the members of the churches take in Sunday school. From the report in the Minutes of last year we see that the enrollment of the Sunday schools of this Association was a little more than 71 per cent. of the total membership of the Churches of the Association. Taking it as a fair estimate that at least 20 per cent of the enrollment of the Sunday schools is composed of children and others who are not church members we find that only about 50 per cent. of our Church members are in any way engaged in Sunday school work. By the report in the minutes of last year only five churches report a larger number in the Sunday school than members in the Church, when if we were really interested in Sunday school work as we should be, every Church ought to report a larger Sunday school enrollment than the Church membership.

What are the causes of this lack of interest in Sunday school work in the churches? First the indifference of the Church members to this branch of the work and; Second inefficiency of the Sunday school workers to get the Sunday school lesson properly presented to the people.

The Remedy: We your committee recommend to the different churches that you immediately try to enlist every member of the church in the Sunday school and that the Association make an effort to arouse interest in teacher training and better equipment for Sunday school workers and we suggest that one or two of the fifth Sunday meetings of the Association be devoted exclusively to Sun-

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day school work under the direction of the State Department of Sunday School work.

Respectfully submitted,

JNO. P. MULL,  
GETTYS D. HOYLE,  
W. D. EARL, Committee

Pending motion to adopt the foregoing report, Sunday Schools being discussed by Brethren Jno. P. Mull, J. N. Barnett and G. B. Pruett after which the report was adopted.

Brother J. M. Walker read the following:

### REPORT ON STATE MISSIONS.

The Baptist State Convention was organized 91 years ago for the evangelization of the state and the education of our young preachers. As the needs became apparent new departments were added until our present splendid organization has been reached. Slowly the work went for a long time, but the rapid developments in recent years show how wisely and well the foundations were laid.

At least two-thirds of the money contributed by the Baptists of the state comes from Churches that were planted and fostered by the State Board of Missions. It is estimated that one-half of our churches were organized by the missionaries of the State Board and they have baptized more than 75,000 people, several of our foreign missionaries among the number. A bequest of \$100,000 was made to our Orphanage by a business man led to Christ by a State Missionary.

Many churches, once weak, and aided by the Board, are now pouring their thousands into the Lord's treasury among them, Asheville, Charlotte, Raleigh and Wilmington.

In spite of this splendid record there is still destitution in the East, and great need of development in the West. Leaving out children nearly half of our adult population are not Christians.

Our Denominational schools must have the support of our Baptist people.

Hyde county with only two Baptist Churches is now a strategic point.

In spite of the financial depression, our people are heroically



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trying to meet the pledges made to the Seventy-five Million Dollar Campaign.

It is gratifying to witness the success of our Baptist Assemblies, the Mobile Schools, the Baptist Foundation, and the new School of Applied Stewardship.

With confidence in God, we look forward to the "Win One Campaign" in October, and the "Half-a-million Tither's Campaign" in December.

Our people are being taught to give systematically and regularly and they did it last year to the amount of \$1,153,731.42—almost ten times as much as during any previous years.

Respectfully submitted,

JNO. M. WALKER,

M. C. PUTNAM,

P. M. MAUNEY, Committee.

Brother W. G. Camp being absent from the afternoon session on account of sickness, Brother W. A. Elam read the following:

### REPORT ON HOME MISSIONS.

The Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, with headquarters in Atlanta and with Dr. B. D. Gray as its corresponding Secretary, seeks to operate throughout a vast territory. Its tasks have been gigantic. Its successes glorious and still its opportunities are many and golden. The Home Board aids in many fields of labor. Time allows us to consider only a part of them, namely: Co-operative Missions, Evangelism, work in Cuba and Panama, Church Building Gifts, Building Loan Fund, Mountain Schools, Baptist Sanitorium, Missions among Soldiers and Sailors, also regular work among Foreigners, Indians and Negroes. Please let us note briefly each of these departments:

Cooperation Missions is the cooperation of the Home Board with each separate state. This department has nearly 1,400 Missionaries who baptized last year 25,000 people.

Evangelism deserves and holds a large place on the program of the Home Board. In the year 1919 the Missionaries of the Home Board baptized 25 out of every 100 who joined our churches.

Both Cuba and Panama are receiving aid and attention from our Board. Some of the Cuban churches are making rapid strides



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toward self-support. Last year the Havanna church alone raised for all objects \$5,000.

Gifts to Churches are being discouraged. It is preferred that loans be made. Three quarter of a million dollars were given for building last year, while about half a million was loaned for building purposes. There remain five thousand congregations among Southern Baptist who have no house of worship, no Church building.

The Mountain Schools—39 in all, are wielding an untold influence. They employ 229 teachers and enroll more than 6,000 students. Eight of these splendid schools are in North Carolina.

The Southern Baptist Sanitorium is located at El Paso, Texas. The building and equipment have cost about \$400,000. More than 100 patients have already received treatment there.

Among our borne Soldiers and Seamen there is a great need of missionary effort. This need is being met only in part. Seventeen faithful workers have gone to labor among them.

Among the foreigners who have come to our shores we have 81 Christian workers, 11 among the Indians, and 33 among the Negroes. If the foreigner can be brought to know our Christ, the Indian to trust our Savior and the Negro to serve our Lord, many of our present day problems will solve themselves.

From the 75 million campaign the Home Mission Board received last year over \$1,500,000 and paid out almost that amount. It is estimated that if every Baptist in the South would give one-tenth of his income to the Lord's cause, we would raise not only \$75,000,000 in five years but four times that much in one year. There are in the South 36,000,000 people, 22,000,000 of them do not profess to know Christ.

Facing these startling facts, should any one of us be too selfish to give, too faint to pray, too weary to work, or too impatient to wait until His Kingdom come in our beloved Southland?

Respectfully submitted,

W. G. CAMP,

J. C. BRIDGES,

L. M. BORDERS, Committee.

In the absence of Brother W. G. Moore, who was to have made the report, Brother W. O. Johnson read the following:

### REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSIONS.

The year 1920-21 marks an epoch in the growth, expansion,

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and efficient and effective organization of Foreign Missions. We wish in this report to mention some few of the things that make the year epochal. The Foreign Mission Board sent out last year the largest number of missionaries ever commissioned in a single year. In the going out of these volunteers Southern Baptists gained recognition as a positive and vital missionary force, such as we had not had heretofore.

In the London Conference of July 1920 we came into vital touch with other Baptists in the great enterprise of giving the New Testament Gospel to Europe. We assumed the obligation of evangelizing the following countries of Europe, Spain, Jugo-Slavia, Hungary, Roumania, Russia and the Ukraine, together with work begun in Palestine several years ago by the Baptists of Southern Illinois. Since this Conference Baptists have made more advancement in Europe than in any ten years of modern Baptist endeavor in Europe.

Southern Baptists gave last year, as a free-will offering for the suffering of Europe and China more than \$250,000.00 through the Foreign Mission Board. This does not take into account possibly, as much or more given through other channels.

The Foreign Mission Board is now at work in 18 nations, with a combined population of 900,000,000. We sent out 72 missionaries last year, and have already appointed 52 this year. More converts were baptized on foreign fields, and the churches made greater financial advancement last year than ever before. A total membership of 59,438 gave last year in contributions \$295,438.00. An average of nearly \$5.00 per member. We have now 457 Missionaries and 611 mission churches.

Our golden age in missionary effort seems to lie just ahead of us. We are sure that under the leadership of Him, who gave us the great commission, we are going more rapidly and surely than ever before to carry His commission into execution.

We your committee would recommend:

1. That we make an extra effort to meet our obligations to the 75 Million Campaign.
2. That we as a people strive to become better informed about recommend mission study classes for all church members, our work and what we are accomplishing, and to this end we would
3. That we pray for our workers and trust that God shall lead



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us into our very best accomplishments in His name.

W. O. JOHNSON,

T. A. STAMEY,

J. C. KING, Committee.

Pending motion to adopt the three foregoing reports, Missions being discussed by Brethren J. M. Walker, W. A. Elam, W. O. Johnson and I. D. Harrill, after which all three reports were adopted.

Song: "Look For Me."

By special permission, Brother Cotton, representing the Anti Saloon League, addressed the Association at this time.

The committee on Religious Exercise announced that Brother W. O. Johnson would preach at this church tonight.

At 3:50, the Association adjourned to meet again tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock, closing the service with special prayers, led by Brethren A. C. Irvin and I. D. Harrill, for Brethren H. Dedmon and G. W. Kendrick, life long members of the Association, both of whom are desperately ill, and also prayer for the beloved Pastor of Bethlehem Church, Brother W. G. Camp, who was stricken with sickness at the noon hour today.

### THURSDAY MORNING

The Association met at 9:30 o'clock, according to order of adjournment, and after several selections by the choir, Brethren A. H. Sims and F. G. Walker led the Association in prayer.

Minutes of yesterday read and approved.

The following visitors were recognized: Brethren R. T. Vann, Educational Secretary, A. C. Hamby, Superintendent of enlistment and conservation, J. C. Gillespie, of the Liberty Association and C. A. Caldwell of the Gaston Association.

Song: "Lift Me Higher"



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### Brother J. M. Kester read the following REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION.

When Jesus placed the command to teach the principles of religion alongside the command to evangelize, He gave Christian education a distinct place in the world. Today education is receiving much thought and money in order that civilization may be lifted to the highest plane. But education of the state cannot be Christian. It can educate the mind but it cannot educate the heart in the precepts and principles of Christianity. Hence, Christian education must be supported by the Christian Churches.

The need for leaders, safe, sane, and Christian in the world of today is urgent and paramount. The world is being re-adjusted. It will be adjusted according to its leadership. It should and must be adjusted on Christian principles if it is to be permanent and to carry forward the great purposes of God. The need therefore for Christian leadership is beyond question.

In order that our Christian schools may turn out as many and as well equipped leaders as possible they must be supported by the churches and equipped with the best and latest equipment. They must have the moral support of the membership. They must have the financial support of the membership. They must be upheld in prayer to the Lord. To criticise and scantily support the schools means death to their efforts.

Therefore, we urge that constant and earnest prayer be made for the faculties and student bodies in all our schools, and that all those who have children to educate consider carefully the importance of sending them to the Christian schools and colleges, and also that such financial support as necessary be given willingly and cheerfully to equip the Christian schools to carry out in the best possible way the Lord's command to "teach all things whatsoever He has commanded."

Respectfully submitted,  
J. MARCUS KESTER,  
L. A. CABANISS,  
B. G. LOGAN, Committee.

### Brother J. H. Quinn read the following ANNUAL REPORT BOARD TRUSTEES OF BOILING SPRINGS HIGH SCHOOL.

To the Kings Mountain and Sandy Run Baptist Associations:

The fourteenth year of our school closed April 18th. Considering

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the financial depression of the country, your school succeeded well.

Total enrollment for the year, 309—167 girls and 142 boys, a decrease of 57 from the previous year. Number in graduating class, 45—30 were girls and 15 were boys. Largest graduating class in history of the school. Total graduates to date 226.

Expenses of operating the school for the year were as follows: Teachers' salaries \$13,435.74; Equipment and repairs, \$921.87; Night watchman, \$600.50; Fuel, \$3,036.45; Light, \$624.25; Incidental expenses, \$8,075.36; and boarding department, \$19,470.41; making a grand total of \$46,164.55 for all expenses.

The income booked for the year was as follows: from Tuition, \$10,172.50; from board, \$19,470.41; for room rent, \$1,197.75; from heating, \$3,036.45; from light, \$624.25; from incidental, \$5,651.68; from special departments, \$5,022.79; from the state educational board, \$2,630.00, and from interest on endowment \$64.60, making a grand total of \$47,870.43. Of this sum, a total of \$44,836.36 has been collected, leaving a balance of \$3,034.07 yet due, the greater part of which is thought to be collectable. If all is collected, there would be a surplus of \$1,705.88, which the school greatly needs. The Kings Mountain Association is yet due sum of \$111.79 and Sandy Run \$197.70 on Ministerial Tuition for the last two years.

Through the earnest efforts of Professor Hamrick and his co-workers, we now have a complete and much needed system of electric lights in all the buildings.

Fall term of school opened August 8th with much larger attendance than was expected, under existing circumstances. The following changes in Faculty were made on account of resignations: Prof. H. D. Powers succeeds Rev. W. G. Moore in the Bible Department, Mrs. Wallace succeeds Miss Banks in Household Arts, and Miss Taylor, a graduate of Meredith College, succeeds Miss Martin in History Department.

Present class enrollments as follows: Intermediate Dept. 20; Freshman class 49; Sophomore, 43; Junior, 51; Senior 42; Specials, 9; making a total enrollment to date of 214. Of these, 103 are girls and 111 boys. There are 154 boarding students. The following states are represented: North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, Georgia, Connecticut, and Oklahoma. Eighteen North Carolina and six South Carolina counties are represented. Classified by churches, there are 148 Baptist 7 Methodists and 1 Presbyterian. We have 118 students from Cleveland and 20 from Rutherford county. There are 102 from the Kings Mountain; thirty-nine from Sandy Run, and two from the Gaston association. In the Special departments, we have as follows:



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Bible, 65; Music, 63; Art, 17; and Household Arts, 17. There are 10 Ministerial students and 119 in the B. Y. P. U.

The brick work on the beautiful Memorial building is completed and the work of covering is now in progress. As soon as the roof is on and the sash placed in windows, work will again stop, unless additional funds are provided at this term of the Associations. The exceedingly high price of labor and material last year made the building much more expensive than was anticipated by the architect. When completed, the building will cost approximately \$60,000. Total amount pledged to date, \$43,500. Collected by treasurer on subscriptions to date, \$27,420.36. Due on pledges \$16,079.64. Estimated additional sum needed to complete the building \$15,693.73. In other words, we need \$32,721.20 to repay borrowed money, to pay outstanding bills and to finish the building.

The terms of the following members of the Board of Trustees expire with this session of the two Associations: Kings Mountain Association—B. T. Falls, J. H. Quinn, J. Y. Irvin, D. J. Keeter and C. B. Wilson. Two other vacancies occur from resignation, viz: Carme Elam, whose term expires in 1922 and E. C. Borders, whose term expires in 1923. Sandy Run Association—W. T. Tate, G. B. Pruett, J. J. Edwards, J. F. Alexander and D. M. Harrill.

Although our young sister, the Gaston County Association, appointed a special committee in 1919 to visit our school and report back to that Association in 1920, relative to accepting our invitation to become one of the joint owners of our school, and although said committee made a favorable report, the Association did not finally act upon the matter but appointed another committee to make further investigation and report back this year. It is to be hoped that that Association will take favorable action on this matter at its approaching session and our beloved school will soon have three strong Associations at its back. If the South Fork Association has not definitely connected itself with one of our other Baptist schools, we recommend that the invitation be renewed to that Association to join with us also.

The Boiling Springs Baptist Church, appreciating the need of adequate accommodation for our student body has erected a new house of worship that would be a credit to any church or to any city. It is well arranged in every way for Sunday School work and all Church organizations. The total cost of the building will amount to \$ . The church contemplates calling a pastor at an early date for his full time. With our school buildings forming a semi-circle around this church building, the Christian character



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of our school will always be emphasized.

We point with pride to the effective work that is being done in our Bible Department under Prof. H. D. Powers, who specialized on Bible in college. For the accommodation of all grades of the school, a Junior Bible Class has been organized and we now have two classes daily in the Bible. The student body has organized three separate B. Y. P. U. Unions, a Y. M. C. A. and a Y. W. C. A., all of which are well attended. As a rule, the moral and Christian influence of the Ministerial students has a healthy influence over the student body.

We take great pleasure in expressing to the pastors and ministers of the two Associations our hearty appreciation for their kind co-operation in all things pertaining to the best interest of our school. The success of the school is largely due to their influence and co-operation. Your board would be glad to have all pastors of the two Associations made advisory members of this board and to have them meet with the board at least once each year for consultation.

This the 6th day of September, 1921.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. QUINN,

Chairman Board Trustees.

G. B. PRUETT,

Secretary.

Pending motion to adopt the two foregoing reports same was discussed by Brethern J. M. Kester, R. T. Vann, J. H. Quinn, J. D. Huggins and C. J. Woodson after which both reports were adopted.

Brethren Rush Padgett, A. P. Spake and S. L. Dellinger were appointed committee to nominate Trustees for Boiling Springs High School, whose term expire at this session of the Association.

Brethren Geo. M. Gold, Geo. P. Webb and J. M. Wilson were appointel a committee to nominate an Executive Committee.

Brother O. M. Mull read the following

### REPORT ON CHURCH FINANCE.

In comparing our financial report of the past year with that

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of the preceding, we are forcibly reminded of the fact that one year ago we met at the close of a year of great abundance; while we are now meeting at the close of a lean year, marked by declining prices and a scarcity of money.

The gratifying part of the financial reports coming to us at this time is the splendid generosity that has been manifested in maintaining the local work of the churches. Fourteen churches made slight reductions in pastors' salaries, but nine churches increased the payment for this object, with result that total pastors' salaries paid this year amount to \$21,049.34, compared with \$17,995.67 the preceding year. We are pleased to report that all the local activities of our churches have apparently been generously financed.

The disappointing part of the report is found in the large decrease in our contributions for benevolence. The total amount contributed for the 75 million fund this year is \$16,744.91; while that reported for the preceding year was \$33,554.32. From this it appears that our contributions for benevolence during the past year were only about one-half of that paid during the preceding year. We recognize the fact that it is of first importance that the local work of our churches be liberally financed. Yet, as missionary Baptists we cannot afford to be selfish in our contributions.

Your committee would recommend that a personal canvass be made annually and every member of every church be urged to make a definite pledge for both local objects and for benevolence.

Respectfully submitted,

O. M. MULL,

F. G. WALKER,

T. P. HAMRICK, Committee.

Upon motion to adopt the foregoing report, same was discussed by Brethren O. M. Mull and A. H. Sims, after which the report was adopted.

At 12:20, the Association took a recess until 1:30.

Benediction by Brother A. C. Hamby.

The Association met, according to order of adjournment, at 1:30, Brother J. M. Goode leading in prayer.

Song: "Keep On Climbing"

Brother D. G. Washburn made the following:

### REPORT ON ORPHANAGE.

The Thomasville Baptist Orphanage was the first Church Or-



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phanage to be established in the state. There was a great fight made on it, before it was born. Its founders were called "narrow" bigoted, selfish, and other complimentary things, but they had faith in God and men, also foresight to keep right on and silently endure the abuse that was heaped upon their heads, knowing that their cause would triumph in the end. Mr. John H. Mills, the father of the orphanage work in North Carolina, was placed at the head of the institution and began to form an organization, that for efficiency and reliability, has hardly been surpassed by any other in the state. Mr. Mills found the people of the state, wherever he went, eager to help along the work. Mr. Noah Biggs of Scotland Neck, gave the first thousand dollars for a building, and this brother was one of the greatest benefactors the Orphanage ever had. Other buildings followed and in a short time a half dozen cottages had been constructed. Mr. Mills was a powerful personality and for ten years he guided the Orphanage through the treacherous waves and out into the open sea, and when he left the work in 1895, it was thoroughly established in the hearts of the Baptist people of North Carolina. Mr. Mills did foundation work, upon which the present splendid structure rests. Rev. J. B. Boone succeeded Mr. Mills and began his work September 1st, 1895. He was the Orphanage builder and reconstructed every building on the hill. Mr. Boone was not a great speaker, but he was a man of rugged strength and could build a house. His crowning work as general manager, was the re-organization of the Orphanage school, making it one of the most efficient and best in the state. After a term of service for 10 years, Mr. Boone retired in 1905, and was succeeded by Rev. M. L. Keesler the present general manager. Coming to the office in 1905, he has given 16 years of service to the institution. During this time there has been immense development. The plant with the invested fund, represents a half million dollars; maintaining 446 children at Thomasville, with a branch home in Lenoir county known as the Kennedy Home, with 85 children there, making a total of 531 children. The grounds have been beautified and the social life of the institution has been uplifted. The general manager, has in a large measure, eliminated the bleakness and dreariness of the old time Orphan Home and has made the Orphanage a beautiful and attractive place to live. Mr. Keesler has had excellent success in his aim to develop and cultivate the finer things, so that the Orphanage is now a beautiful, clean, wholesome, healthful place, with fine opportunities for practical training along many lines for the children who go there. The current fund

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has reached the enormous sum of \$150,000.00 and it comes as regular as the seasons. The Churches and Sunday schools are trained to listen to the cry of the Orphanage and they promptly respond with tender joy. Since one of the buildings has been destroyed, by the recent fire, it is prayerfully hoped that the churches, Sunday schools and individuals of the Kings Mountain Association will do their full part in replacing the building which was burned. Our denominational life will be, and has already been, greatly strengthened and enriched by our devotion and loyalty to the Orphanage.

Respectfully submitted,

D. G. WASHBURN,

S. B. HAMRICK,

S. M. HAMRICK, Committee.

Pending motion to adopt the foregoing report, the Orphanage being discussed by Brother F. B. Hamrick, the report was adopted.

Brother I. D. Harrill read the following:

### REPORT ON MINISTERIAL RELIEF

Among the many duties of the Christian, care for the aged minister has a prominent place. One of our Lord's last commands, as he hanged upon the cross, was to John when he said "Behold thy mother forever putting in the hand of the church the poor." Therefore, let us not forget our Lord's command and let us remember our old soldiers of the cross in our prayers and with our means. Your committee urge then that a Christmas offering be taken for them in all our churches.

Respectfully submitted,

I. D. HARRILL,

J. F. CLIPPARD,

O. C. DIXON, Committee.

Upon motion to adopt the foregoing report, same was discussed by Brethren I. D. Harrill, Rush Padgett, after which the report was adopted.

Brother D. J. Keeter read the following:

### REPORT ON TEMPERANCE, SOCIAL EVILS AND PUBLIC MORALS.

We are in the aftermath of the war and are reaping the crop of evils that always follow wars. There is an apparent wave of



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crime and lawlessness sweeping country. We have sufficient laws to cover all the cases that may arise even in abnormal times, but in some instances these may need modification to conform to the Federal statutes. What we are in need of now is a savory sentiment in favor of law enforcement. Hardly a week passes that does not record the death or serious injury of some enforcement officer at the hands of men who are engaged in the illegal liquor traffic, while every community has its problems to meet in this respect. The menace to proper law enforcement is that large element in every community which seems to be indifferent, but are rather inclined to aid the traffickers with sympathy and sometimes with material aid.

We your committee would call every member of every church align themselves on the side of right in regard to all the social evils and especially that of strong drink, which is in many ways the hand maiden and foster mother of them all. No church member can afford to hold a compromising attitude on any of those things that are so demoralizing to our people and especially our young people.

We would recommend to the churches of this association:

1. That they strive to create a more vital moral sentiment in each church community respecting slack Sabbath Observance, the social card party, the public and private dance, the indulgence in strong drink and the participation in its manufacture and sale.

2. That we call on the parents represented in our churches to be more diligent in leading and training their children in respect to these evils.

3. That the pastors shall consider in conference the advisability of setting aside some Sunday or month which shall be used for creating public sentiment, by any and all the agencies of the Churches.

We endorse the work of the Anti-Saloon League in its efforts to build up a better sentiment for law enforcement and urge our people to use their speakers wherever it is possible to help strengthen such sentiment. We earnestly urge the Baptists of North Carolina to take an uncompromising stand against this evil in our country, and to stand by the laws.

Respectfully submitted,

D. J. KEETER,

W. O. R. PUTNAM,

N. O. WHITE, Committee.

Pending motion to adopt the foregoing report,

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same was discussed by Brethren D. J. Keeter, R. T. Vann and W. O. Johnson, after which the report was adopted.

Brother A. C. Hamby addressed the Association at this hour.

The special committee appointed at the last session of the Association, to devise plans by which to raise the \$12,000.00 needed for the completion of the Memorial Building at Boiling Springs High School, made the following report.

### REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE FOR BOILING SPRINGS BUILDING.

In view of the fact that Boiling Springs High School is the High School of every member of the Kings Mountain and Sandy Run Associations, and that every member should be interested and participate in the service thus rendered the Kingdom, we, your special committee to devise plans for raising the additional \$12,000.00 needed for the completion of the Memorial Building, recommended the following:

(1) That each church of the Association be asked to raise an amount equivalent to \$1.50 per member; it being understood that the Churches that have already contributed to the special amount be credited with same.

(2) That the Association ask its Moderator, Rev. J. W. Suttle, to direct the raising of these funds, and see that the matter is presented to every church; and that his expenses and a reasonable compensation be paid by the trustees of the School.

(3) That the pastors of the churches of the Association, in cooperation with Brother Suttle, bring this matter before their churches before November first, and report results to the director, Rev. J. W. Suttle.

Respectfully submitted,

O. M. MULL,  
A. E. BETT'S,  
J. H. QUINN,  
Z. R. WALKER,  
D. G. WASHBURN,  
J. L. PUTNAM,  
J. M. KESTER, Committee.



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Pending motion to adopt the foregoing report, same was discussed by Brethren J. M. Kester, J. W. Suttle, Jno. F. Mull, A. C. Hamby and J. H. Quinn, after which the report was adopted.

The committee on Religious Exercise, announced that Brother J. O. Fulbright would preach at this church tonight at 7:45 and that Brother J. C. Gillespie would conduct Devotional Exercise on tomorrow morning.

At 3:35 the Association adjourned to meet again tomorrow morning at 9:30.

Benediction by Brother C. J. Woodson.

### FRIDAY MORNING

The Association met at 9:30, according to order of adjournment, Brother J. C. Gillespie conducting Devotional Exercise, reading the 12th chapter of Romans, following which Brother A. C. Irvin led in prayer.

Minutes of yesterday read and approved.

The following visitors were recognized: Brother E. Hardin of the Broad River Association.

Brother W. A. Elam read the following:

### REPORT ON WOMEN'S WORK.

In each passing year we see great advancement in the work that the women of our churches are doing.

It has been only a few years since the women of North Carolina Baptist organized themselves to definite work and render better service than they were doing under the old plans.

When the women first organized they had very little encouragement but God has been with them from the first and the growth of the work has been marvelous. The various organizations of the women, are all of the church and a part of the church.

The women through these organizations are doing their work in a systematic way. The following facts and figures give the strength of the woman's work both in our association and in the state.

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First in the association:

1. Number of Woman's Missionary societies	22
Number Young Women's Auxiliaries	4
Number of Sunbeams	8
And one Royal Ambassador.	
2. Number of members in W. M. S.	446
Number of members in Y. W. A.	117
Number of members in Sunbeams	161
Members of R. A.	14
Total	738

(There were five new societies organized last year.)

3. The amount of money given this year was \$8,584.98 an increase over last year of \$2,343.15.

Much Bible and Mission study and personal service work has been done during the year. Mrs. John Wacaster is Superintendent of the Kings Mountain, for women and Miss Gertrude Street, Junior Superintendent.

During the last State Convention year there were 241 new Societies organized in the state, making a total of 1,633 in the state. Number of subscribers to Biblical Recorder and Mission Magazines 9,637.

The women of State gave last year to all objects \$314,004.00.

The educational work among our women both in State and Association is going to lead the women into larger and better service.

The women need the cooperation of the men and let us not be satisfied until the women are organized in every church.

Respectfully submitted,

W. A. ELAM,

FORREST HORD,

F. P. GOLD, Committee.

Pending motion to adopt the foregoing report same was discussed by Brethren W. A. Elam and J. W. Suttle, after which the report was adopted.

Brother O. P. Hamrick read the following.

## REPORT ON B. Y. P. U.

The leaders of our denomination have contended—and rightly



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so—that if we are to conserve or even collect the money of the Seventy-five Million Campaign that the campaign for money must be followed by an intensive evangelistic campaign. The efforts that have been put forth bringing souls into the Kingdom have like the movement for money been very successful. The problem that now confronts us is, what are we going to do with this great host of new converts that have come into our churches? How are they to grow and become active workers in His Kingdom? They must be given something to do. They must be trained in active Christian work while they are young. Where are they to get this training? It must come largely through the B. Y. P. U. This movement has reached a stage in its development when all thoughtful Church leaders recognize its necessity.

To what extent are our Churches taking advantage of the training of our young people offered by the B. Y. P. U.? The number of unions in our association has gradually increased but a great many of our churches have not taken advantage of the opportunity the B. Y. P. U. affords for training in active Christian work. They are still depending on a few gray-headed deacons to lead the public prayers, conduct the prayer meetings, lead the singing, and give most of the money that is given. A church that has an active B. Y. P. U. will begin to use some of the young people to take some of these duties. A B. Y. P. U. that lives up to the standard set for it will develop members who will naturally ask, "What Can We Do?"

In view of the fact that there is an urgent need for interesting our young people in the work of the church we recommend the following:

First, that every church in the association consider the advisability of organizing a union.

Secondly, that all unions be urged to strive to reach the standard of excellence set for them.

Thirdly, that we heartily indorse the organization of an associational B. Y. P. U.

Respectfully submitted,

O. P. HAMRICK,

A. H. PADGETT,

S. C. WILSON, Committee.

Upon motion to adopt the foregoing report same was discussed by Brethren O. P. Hamrick, Rush Padgett and J. O. Fulbright, after which the report was adopted.

Brother J. D. Bridges read the following.

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### REPORT ON OBITUARIES.

There is one continual procession of men, women and children moving from time into eternity. Our kind Heavenly Father has seen fit to take from among us, during the last year 54 of our fellow workers. We know all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose. Therefore, let us be resigned to His will and be ready when the summons shall come to call us home.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. BRIDGES,

M. C. PUTNAM,

T. M. SWEEZY, Committee.

Pending motion to adopt the foregoing report, same was discussed by Brethren J. D. Bridges, J. W. Suttle, A. H. Sims, J. O. Fulbright, D. G. Washburn, A. C. Irvin, O. P. Hamrick, W. O. Johnson and D. J. Keeter, special mention being had to the memory of Brethren Will Walker, Lee Gold, T. J. Dixon, J. L. McCurry, Gaston Littlejohn, A. D. Hamrick, D. S. Lovelace, A. G. Dillingham and T. H. Lowery and Sisters—Hord, A. E. Bettis, R. W. Gardner and ———Crocker, after which the report was adopted.

Upon instructions from the Association, the special committee appointed, offer the following resolutions:

Brother J. L. McCurry was 77 years and 10 days old. He had lived in Cleveland county about 31 years, moving here from McDowell county, and he is therefore a member of the Kings Mountain Association, and a regular attendant upon all its sessions, when not Providentially hindered, for about 30 years, and

WHEREAS, God in His providence has removed him from the earth to the house not made with hands, eternal in the Heavens, therefore be it resolved FIRST, That the Kings Mountain Association has lost one of its very best members, and our county one of its best citizens, and his church one of its loved members. SECOND. That we may all emulate his example as he lived among us the quiet unassuming Christian life. For we have lost a typical Christian, a Prince in Israel, a man who like Barnabas was a good man and full of the Holy Ghost. THIRD. We extend our deepest sympathy to Sister McCurry and to the whole family. A good husband and father and kind friend, a consecrated and loyal brother has gone to



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join that innumerable throng from which no traveler ever returns. He is free from all pain, so do not grieve, but think of his happy estate and live to meet him in that Heavenly Home.

Respectfully submitted,

D. G. WASHBURN,

A. C. IRVIN,

J. D. BRIDGES, Special Committee.

The above committee were appointed on the last day of the Association meeting to prepare suitable resolutions, and have inserted in the minutes as a memorial to Brother McCurry.

The following were appointed Chairman of Committees to report at the next session of the Association:

Biblical Recorder .....	Rush Padgett
Church Finance .....	B. T. Falls
Sunday Schools .....	J. N. Barnett
Ministerial Relief .....	A. E. Bettis
Woman's Work .....	J. O. Fulbright
Orphanage .....	W. G. Camp
Christian Education .....	W. O. Johnson
Foreign Missions .....	J. M. Kester
Home Missions .....	W. A. Elam
State Missions .....	I. D. Harrill
Temperance-Social Evils and Public Morals .....	J. D. Bridges
Obituaries .....	D. F. Hord
B. Y. P. U. ....	A. V. Washburn

The committee on Time and Place and Preacher for the next meeting made the following recommendation:

We your committee on Time and Place, recommend that the Kings Mountain Association meet with the Casar Baptist Church, 20 miles north of Shelby, on Wednesday before the First Sunday in October 1922. We also recommend that Rev. W. A. Elam be appointed to preach the Introductory Sermon at next session, with Rev. W. O. Johnson alternate.

Respectfully submitted,

A. E. BETTIS,

D. F. HORD,

E. B. HAMRICK, Committee.

Upon motion the foregoing recommendation was adopted.

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### REPORT ON OBITUARIES.

The Finance Committee beg to report cash collections as follows:

We your Finance Committee beg to report cash collections as follows:

Minute Fund -----	\$ 94.60
75 Million -----	29.50
State Missions -----	10.90
Home Missions -----	7.00
Foreign Missions -----	6.00
Orphanage -----	16.00
Christian Education -----	5.00
Ministerial Relief -----	10.00

Total ----- \$179.00

Respectfully submitted,

LANDER McBRAYER,

A. W. BLACK, Committee.

The foregoing report being adopted.

The committee appointed to nominate Trustees for Boiling Springs High School, whose term of office expire at this session of the Association, made the following report:

We your committee appointed to nominate Trustees for Boiling Springs High School, beg to make the following recommendations:

We recommend that J. H. Quinn, B. T. Falls, J. Y. Irvin, D. J. Keeter, and C. B. Wilson, succeed themselves; that Charlie Forney succeed Carme Elam, whose term expires 1922, and that A. E. Bettis succeed E. C. Borders, whose term expires in 1923, the latter two, Brother Elam and Brother Borders having resigned.

Respectfully submitted,

RUSH PADGETT,

A. P. SPAKE,

S. L. DELLINGER, Committee.

The foregoing recommendation being adopted by a vote.

Brethren Rush Padgett, J. O. Fulbright and D. J. Keeter were appointed delegates to the Baptist State Convention; Brother J. W. Suttle being appointed delegate to the Southern Baptist Convention, with Brother W. A. Elam as alternate.



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Brother D. G. Washburn was appointed Vice President of the Home Mission Board, Brother J. M. Kester, Vice President of the Foreign Mission Board and Brother W. A. Elam, Vice President of the State Mission Board.

The committee appointed to nominate an Executive Committee made the following report:

We your committee appointed to nominate an Executive Committee, beg to recommend the following: J. W. Suttle, A. C. Irvin, D. G. Washburn, H. D. Wilson and R. L. Weathers.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. M. GOLD,

GEO. P. WEBB,

J. M. WILSON, Committee.

Upon motion the foregoing recommendation was adopted.

George Blanton, Treasurer, made the following report:

George Blanton, Treasurer, in account with the Kings Mountain Baptist Association from September 1920 to September 1921, received: •

For State Missions -----	\$ 10.05	
For Home Missions -----	4.00	
For Foreign Missions -----	4.00	
For Ministerial Relief -----	5.75	
For Mission (General) -----	15.50	
For 75 Million Campaign -----	148.28	
For all Purposes -----	88.00	
<b>Total -----</b>	<b>\$275.58</b>	
Paid to Walter Durham, State Treasurer -----		\$275.58
Received for Orphanage -----	19.35	
Paid to Fuller B. Hamrick, Treasurer -----		19.35
Received for Christian Education -----	125.46	
Paid Boiling Springs High School -----		125.46
Received for Minute Fund previous year -----	65.99	
Received for Minute Fund 1920-21 -----	108.80	
Paid for Minutes and Printing -----		122.50
Paid J. J. Lattimore, Clerk -----		26.15
Paid George Blanton, Treasurer -----		26.14
	<b>\$595.18</b>	<b>\$595.18</b>

Respectfully submitted,

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GEO. BLANTON, Treasurer, Kings Mountain Baptist Association.

Upon motion the foregoing report was adopted and ordered printed in the minutes.

Brother J. H. Quinn was appointed to renew the invitation to South Fork Association to adopt the Boiling Springs High School as their school.

The Moderator was authorized to make any appointments that may have been overlooked.

A collection was taken to pay expenses of Brother W. A. Elam attending the Board of Missions meeting and amounted to \$18.52.

On motion each Church Clerk in the association was instructed to send up to the Association 10 cents per member as an incidental fund, to be expended by order of the Executive Committee. It being understood that it will not be necessary to contribute to the Minute fund, as the printing of Minutes, etc., is to be paid from this fund of 10 cents per member.

Brother C. J. Woodson offered the following resolution:

Resolved that the thanks of the association are due, and are hereby tendered to the members of this church and the good people of this community for the hospitable manner in which we have been entertained.

Brother Jno. P. Mull offered the following resolutions:

Resolved that we the delegates and Ministers of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association, desire to express our sincere thanks for the royal and hospitable manner in which the members and community of Bethlehem Church has entertained this Association, and we desire to express our sincere appreciation to Brother B. G. Logan and the choir of the Church, for the inspiring music furnished the different sessions of the Association.

Upon motion both the foregoing resolutions were adopted by a rising vote.

Upon motion of Brother A. H. Sims, the Association adjourned, sine die (after singing the song "God Be With You Till We Meet Again" and benediction by Brother W. O. Johnson) to meet with the Casar Baptist Church, on Wednesday before the First Sunday in October 1922.

J. J. LATTIMORE, Clerk

J. W. SUTTLE, Moderator.



## MINUTES OF KINGS MOUNTAIN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

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### Proceedings of the W. M. U.

On September 1st and 2nd, 1921, the W. M. U. of Kings Mountain Association met with the First Baptist Church of Kings Mountain in their annual session.

The meeting was called to order at 10:30 by Mrs. John Wacaster, Associational Superintendent. "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow" was sung. Prayer by Mrs. Hamrick. Devotional exercises being conducted by Mrs. A. H. Sims, using the 4th chapter of Ephesians.

The address of welcome was given by Mrs. E. J. Abbott. Greetings from the Methodist W. M. S. by Mrs. Kirk. Greetings from A. R. P. W. M. S. by Mrs. Kerr. Greetings from the Presbyterian W. M. S. by Mrs. Carlyle Ware. Prayer was then offered by Mrs. Reddish in behalf of Miss Mary Sue Hunt, who is in the hospital.

Roll of Churches called and reports from Societies were heard. The following Churches reporting: Boiling Springs, Bethlehem, Double Springs, Elizabeth, Fallston, Grover, Kings Mountain, New Bethel, New Hope, Oak Grove, Poplar Springs, Ross Grove, Sandy Plains, Shelby First, Shelby Second, Waco, Zoar. Y. W. A.: Shelby, Kings Mountain, Waco. R. A.'s: Waco. Sunbeams: Elizabeth, Double Springs, Shelby First, Waco.

The report of the Treasurer was heard and a brief sketch of the year's work was given by the Superintendent.

The annual address of the Superintendent, was full of enthusiasm and helpful suggestions. His subject: "The outlook of the future," a vision of seven stars, will long be remembered by all present. The 1st star, Prayer; 2nd, Bible Study; 3rd, Mission Study; 4th, Evangelism, 5th, Enlistment; 6th, Stewardship; 7th, Christian Schools. These subjects were discussed later by different ladies on the program. Prayer by Mrs. Wacaster.

Visitors were recognized.

Duet—"Pilot of Calilee" beautifully sung by Mesdames J. O. Fulbright and C. T. Cornwell with Mrs. J. S. Hood at the piano.

Talk by Mrs. McMurry "What the Missionary Society Should Mean to the Church."

The following were appointed the nominating committee: Mesdames McMurry, Floyd, Hoyle, Dixon and Williams.

Song: "On the Mountain Top Appearing." Announcements.

The Brethren were recognized and Rev. W. A. Elam gave the benediction.

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The afternoon session was opened by singing "Stand Up For Jesus". Devotional by Miss Bertha Bostick. Minutes of morning session read and approved. Paper—"Prayer" by Mrs. C. J. Woodson. "Bible Study" by Mrs. W. A. Elam. A wonderful address on "Mission Study" by Mrs. W. H. Reddish. Paper—"Evangelism" by Mrs. D. F. Hord. "Rescue the Perishing" was sung. Paper—"Enlistment" by Mrs. S. H. Austell. "Stewardship" by Mrs. F. C. Nye. "How We May Reach the Standard of Excellence" by Mrs J. W. Wood. Mrs. Wacaster read a very sweet letter from Miss Mary Sue Hunt. An invitation from Grover was heard for the next W. M. U. annual meeting.

Report of Boiling Springs Scholarship Fund given by Mrs. J. M. Roberts. On motion report was adopted and scholarship given to Miss Marie Hamrick for year 1921-1922.

The following committees were appointed: Time and Place—Mrs. John Dixon, Mrs. Z. R. Walker, Mrs. J. L. Putnam, Mrs. Colin Hull and Mrs. Jones. Resolutions, Miss Elizabeth Ebeitoft, Mrs. J. O. Fulbright, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. S. L. Dellinger and Mrs. Littlejohn. Obituaries, Mrs. D. J. Keeter, Miss Mae Green, Mrs. S. H. Austell, Mrs. J. K. Willis and Mrs. J. W. Wood

At this time 115 visitors and delegates and 80 local ladies had registered.

Dismissed by prayer, Mrs. F. C. Nye.

Thursday evening 8 o'clock. Devotional led by Rev. J. O. Fulbright. Mission drama by Y. W. A. of Kings Mountain First Church. Sermon, Rev. J. W. Suttle, using for his text "A Great Woman" Second Kings, fourth chapter.

### FRIDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 2ND

The session opened by singing "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name" Devotional led by Mrs. S. H. Austell. The Kings Mountain First Church Sunbeam Band under the leadership of Mrs. Forrest Floyd, gave a delightful program of songs and recitations..

Duet, Misses Lorene Cornwell and Inez Abbott. A Missionary Caterer, Miss Lila Woodward. A message from Miss Gladys Sims. Y. W. A. President of Kings Mountain First Church. An inspiring address by Mrs. Reddish.

On motion that a letter of love and sympathy be sent at once to Miss Mary Sue Hunt.

Session closed with prayer by Mrs. E. J. Abbott.



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Friday p. m. opened with song "Abide With Me." Devotional, Miss Ozell Gardner. "Christian Education" Miss Mae Green. A demonstration of Mission study books by Y. W. A.'s of Waco and one little Sunbeam, little Sue Hord, of Kings Mountain First Church. The "Associational Standard" by Mrs. J. Bryon Keeter. A collection of \$4.01 was taken for expense of printing programs. Pledges for Boiling Springs Scholarship Fund amounted to \$113.00.

The committee on Time and Place made the following: We the committee on Time and Place accept the invitation from the Grover Society. The Time of meeting to be decided in Charlotte, N. C., during the State meeting in March 1922, by the Superintendent of Kings Mountain Association, so to be convenient for the State officers to attend with less expense.

Committee on Obituaries made the following report: In Memoriam; I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the Faith, henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness which the Lord the righteous Judge shall give me at that day. Mrs. Wm. Archer, Superintendent of Kings Mountain Association, Shelby, N. C.; Mrs. A. W. Crabtree, Boiling Springs, N. C.; Mrs. J. L. Crocker, Grover, N. C., and Mrs. A. E. Bettis, Earl, N. C.

The Nominating committee recommended the following: Officers for the coming year: Mrs. John Wacaster, Superintendent, Mrs. G. E. Lovell, Secretary, Mrs. J. M. Roberts, Treasurer; Miss Gertrude Street, Junior Superintendent. Divisional Superintendents: Mrs. Frank Elam, Mrs. Jarvis Hamrick, Mrs. F. C. Nye, Mrs. Frank Williams. Executive Committee. All officers and Mrs. C. J. Woodson, Mrs. C. A. Hamrick, Mrs. J. W. Wood, Mrs. W. A. Elam, Mrs. E. C. Borders, Mrs. D. J. Keeter and Mrs. D. F. Hord.

Committee on Resolutions reported: We your Committee on Resolutions, in behalf of the officers and entire delegation of the W. M. U. of Kings Mountain Association wish to express our gratitude of the W. M. S. of Kings Mountain First Baptist Church, to the Pastor Rev. J. O. Fulbright and to all the ladies of Kings Mountain for their Christian courtesy and hospitality in receiving us into their church and homes, making our hearts glad with their words of welcome and deeds of kindness. Second That we express our appreciation of those who who assisted in making the program so enjoyable, to those who sang for and all committees assisting.

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Third, That we express our gratefulness for the lunch served in the basément by the ladies of Kings Mountain. Fourth, We feel greatly benefitted by having our state Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Reddish with us, who gave us such an interesting address which will be an inspiration to all present. We also remember the faithful work of our dear Superintendent Mrs. Wacaster, in her untiring efforts. Fifth, That we do thank Mrs. F. C. Nye for acting as Secretary in the absence of Mrs. Lovell on account of sickness. Sixth, That we extend greetings to Mrs. Lovell and offer special prayer for all of our absent co-workers. Seventh, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the Minutes of the Association.

On motion all the reports were adopted at one time. Sentence prayers were made here for the recovery of our Associational Sec. Minutes of the afternoon session were read and approved.

"Blest Be the Tie" was sung as a closing number. Prayer by Mrs. Wacaster. The W. M. U. of Kings Mountain Association adjourned to meet with the W. M. S. of Grover.

MRS. JNO. WACASTER, Association Supt.  
MRS. F. C. NYE, Secretary Pro Tem.



# STATISTICAL TABLE

CHURCHES	PASTORS AND THEIR P. O.	CLERKS AND THEIR P. O.	Time of Preaching	Value of Property	Baptisms	By Letter	Restoration	Lost by Letter	Excluded	Died	Males	Females	Total Membership
Beaver Dam -----	W. G. Moore, Boiling Springs -----	H. H. McGinnis, Shelby R-4 -----	2-4	3,000.00	25	8	1	18	1	3	118	136	254
Bethlehem -----	W. G. Camp, Kings Mountain R-2 -----	D. F. Adams, Kings Mtn. -----	1-3	1,500.00	21	17	45	10	--	2	129	185	314
Boiling Springs -----		G. E. Scruggs, Shelby R-2 -----	1-3-4	60,000.00	10	13	3	21	1	2	191	213	404
Buffalo -----	A. C. Irvin, Shelby -----	C. C. Wilson, Cherryville R-2 -----	3	700.00	3	--	--	3	--	2	33	41	74
Casar -----	W. M. Gold, Ellenboro -----	H. E. Peeler, Lawndale -----	2-4	2,500.00	9	2	--	1	--	--	35	63	98
Carpenter's Grove -----	S. L. Blanton -----	A. D. Warlick, Lawndale R-4 -----	3	1,000.00	6	--	--	1	--	--	30	35	65
Double Springs -----	J. W. Suttle, Shelby -----	B. B. Moore, Lattimore R-1 -----	2-3	20,500.00	24	10	--	4	--	2	126	141	267
Double Shoals -----	J. W. Suttle, Shelby -----	C. R. Spangler, Lawndale -----	4	1,000.00	17	2	--	8	--	1	92	98	190
Elizabeth -----	W. G. Camp, Kings Mountain -----	J. L. Allen, Shelby -----	2-4	5,000.00	23	15	--	19	--	2	152	201	353
East Kings Mt'n. -----	J. J. Hicks, Kings Mountain -----	J. C. King, Kings Mountain -----	1-3	1,000.00	2	7	1	18	1	--	53	80	133
Fallston -----	Rush Padgett, Lattimore -----	G. D. Hoyle, Fallston -----	2	1,200.00	9	15	--	1	1	--	65	81	146
Flint Hill -----	J. M. Walker, Boiling Springs -----	F. M. Ledbetter, Shelby R-2 -----	3	1,400.00	3	5	--	7	--	2	49	57	106
Grover -----	W. O. Johnson, Grover -----	V. J. Hardin, Grover -----	1-2	8,000.00	9	26	1	25	3	2	136	145	281
Kings Mountain -----	J. O. Fulbright, Kings Mountain -----	D. F. Hord, Kings Mountain -----	E. S.	10,000.00	4	37	2	17	3	1	142	148	290
Lattimore -----	I. D. Harrill, Lattimore -----	C. B. Hamrick, Lattimore -----	1-3	4,500.00	5	16	--	8	--	2	144	158	302
Lawndale -----	J. W. Suttle, Shelby -----	C. D. Forney, Lawndale -----	4		--	--	--	6	4	2	48	24	72
Macedonia -----	J. J. Hicks, Kings Mountain -----	S. C. Jolley, Kings Mountain -----	1-4	1,000.00	13	20	--	--	--	--	16	17	33
Mt. Sinai -----		J. C. Bridges, Shelby 2 -----	4	1,200.00	4	3	--	9	--	--	54	62	116
New Bethel -----	J. W. Suttle, Shelby -----	F. B. Hord, Lawndale -----	4	1,000.00	12	--	--	3	1	3	74	97	171
New Hope -----	Rush Padgett, Lattimore -----	W. D. Earl, Earl -----	1	8,000.00	13	4	1	10	--	6	66	217	383
New Prospect -----	Rush Padgett, Lattimore -----	O. C. Dixon, Shelby R-6 -----	1-3	2,000.00	5	6	--	14	1	1	132	132	264
Norman's Grove -----	W. M. Gold, Ellenboro R-3 -----	R. A. Norman, Belwood -----	2	1,250.00	13	4	--	--	--	1	39	48	87
North Brooks -----	A. W. Setzer, Cherryville -----	T. M. Sweezy, Lawndale R-2 -----	2	1,000.00	--	2	--	--	--	--	18	29	47
Oak Grove -----	A. C. Irvin, Shelby -----	M. H. Ware, Kings Mtn. -----	4	600.00	24	3	1	5	--	2	74	94	168
Patterson Grove -----	I. O. Fulbright, Kings Mountain -----	J. Bun Patterson -----	1	600.00	19	6	1	10	--	--	60	65	125
Patterson Station -----	W. O. Johnson, Grover -----	W. A. Gladden, Patterson Spgs. -----	3	1,000.00	6	2	--	8	--	1	54	57	111
Ponlar Springs -----	W. G. Moore, Boiling Springs -----	S. B. Jones, Shelby R-2 -----	1	2,000.00	2	9	--	4	--	3	93	90	183
Pleasant Hill -----	G. P. Hamrick, Shelby -----	R. B. Francis, Shelby R-7 -----	1	1,500.00	8	--	1	10	2	1	81	90	171
Pleasant Ridge -----	I. D. Harrill, Lattimore -----	G. L. Hamrick, Lattimore -----	3	1,500.00	12	5	--	9	--	--	74	77	151
Pleasant Grove -----	D. G. Washburn, Shelby R-4 -----	V. A. Gardner, Shelby R-6 -----	1	3,000.00	6	2	--	10	--	3	106	151	257
Poss Grove -----	Rush Padgett, Lattimore -----	Joe E. Blanton, Shelby R-6 -----	4	6,000.00	10	11	--	8	--	--	78	99	177
Sandy Plains -----		L. F. Jenkins, Lattimore -----	1-3	3,500.00	5	9	--	17	--	--	110	177	287
Shelby First -----	J. M. Kester, Shelby -----	Ino. P. Mull, Shelby -----	E. S.	75,000.00	5	35	--	24	10	3	294	410	704
Shelby Second -----	W. A. Elam, Shelby -----	R. H. Wilson, Shelby -----	E. S.	8,000.00	35	49	--	36	--	2	186	327	513
Thomasson Grove -----	I. T. Hord, Kings Mountain -----	M. M. Patterson, Kings Mountain -----	3		2	1	1	--	--	--	9	5	14
Union -----	D. G. Washburn, Shelby R-4 -----	Geo. M. Gold, Shelby, R-5 -----	3	5,000.00	15	10	--	19	--	3	160	189	349
Waco -----	I. W. Suttle, Shelby -----	S. P. Miller, Waco -----	1-3	3,000.00	11	10	1	19	--	1	98	82	180
Zion -----	D. G. Washburn, Shelby R-4 -----	F. P. Gold, Shelby R-5 -----	1-2	1,500.00	4	6	--	6	1	1	108	137	245
Zoar -----	I. W. Suttle, Shelby -----	S. B. Hamrick, Shelby R-2 -----	2	2,000.00	8	5	--	5	--	--	64	85	149

TOTAL ----- \$250,950.00 402 376 59 393 29 54 3591 4543 8184



# FINANCIAL TABLE

CHURCHES	Pastor's Salary	Building and Repairs	Incidentals	Sunday School Expenses	The Poor	Minute Fund	Missions Undesignated	75 Million	State Missions	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Orphanage	Christian Education	Ministerial Relief	Other Objects	Total for All Objects
Beaver Dam	\$ 400.00	\$ 55.00	\$	\$ 46.00	\$	\$	\$	31.80				14.09			64.49	611.29
Bethlehem	800.00	200.00	131.00	82.32	10.00			103.00					8.24			136.77
Boiling Springs	1,350.00	5,500.00	114.25	166.86		5.00	277.33	196.20				123.28	30.03		119.79	7,886.74
Buffalo	100.00					1.55			5.00	5.00	5.00		5.00	5.00		131.55
Casar	200.00	25.00		19.22	50.00	2.00	11.68	70.00				4.13			75.00	457.03
Carpenter's Grove	135.00		8.00			1.25		54.00							38.00	246.25
Double Springs	500.00	19,213.08	45.00	118.05	19.54				47.00	17.54	33.44	34.82				20,028.47
Double Shoals	300.00	3.15	195.01	24.79		3.00		192.00				25.00	5.87		3.00	751.82
Elizabeth	800.00		213.15	75.00		4.00		609.69				56.06			11.90	1,769.80
East Kings Mt'n.	205.84		18.05	103.45		1.00			3.90	13.66	1.00	8.91	2.86	5.00	51.50	415.17
Fallston	450.00		35.13	32.34	10.00			243.50				64.64	6.52		80.00	922.13
Flint Hill	100.00		34.80	18.28		1.35			2.00	2.00		2.09				160.52
Grover	512.50	184.25	196.76	69.29				325.15	53.00			88.00	367.65		36.62	1,811.37
Kings Mountain	2,000.00	2,723.91	558.00	188.97		5.00		1,389.86	4.94	25.94		202.14	669.31	29.85	379.21	8,177.13
Lattimore	630.00		230.00		57.06	2.85		567.10				151.75	6.80		881.64	2,527.85
Lawndale	300.00		7.27			3.00		583.90				16.10	12.90		12.00	935.17
Macedonia	125.00	900.00				1.80										1,026.80
Mt. Sinai	150.00			19.20											42.85	212.05
New Bethel	400.00		51.26	77.91	35.14	5.00		600.00				115.97	48.03		164.73	1,498.04
New Hope	600.00		277.83	82.41			3.00	753.25				5.55	5.00		145.00	1,912.04
New Prospect	165.00		12.00	27.00				186.00					200.00			595.00
Norman's Grove	125.00			7.65		1.35		40.00							22.25	196.25
North Brooks	75.00			5.00				52.00								132.00
Oak Grove	150.00		35.25	25.91	28.50	2.55	38.00		10.00	10.00	25.00	3.00	30.00	3.00	12.00	373.21
Patterson Grove	275.00	15.50						236.00								526.50
Patterson Station	300.00			20.00		1.50		5.00							1.50	328.00
Poplar Springs	300.00		52.05	55.54				238.95				7.91	180.00			834.45
Pleasant Hill	200.00	18.00	25.78	39.86		2.00		59.00			5.00	8.00		6.80		364.41
Pleasant Ridge	240.00	96.25	45.00	25.75	6.85			91.30							4.40	509.55
Pleasant Grove	300.00		37.00	16.00		3.00		256.50					10.00		76.00	698.50
Ross Grove	240.00		130.98		7.28	2.00		152.37								565.63
Sandy Plains	350.00			56.66		3.00		185.76				10.61			495.26	726.36
Shelby First	5,000.00	416.78	2,818.00	390.16	16.72	10.00		7,752.33				1,466.58	712.00		1,398.37	19,980.94
Shelby Second	1,500.00	266.44	194.46	251.32	31.80	5.00		1,732.47				126.49			1,003.63	5,105.61
Thomasson Grove	100.00		18.00			2.00										120.00
Union	350.00	75.00	122.00	56.00		4.00		50.00				36.80	250.00			943.40
Waco	1,000.00	83.32	48.56	75.44	60.00			350.00				91.56	261.00		352.82	2,323.30
Zion	400.00	70.80	90.10	25.00		4.00		321.15								907.05
Zoar	300.00		40.80	50.98	89.50			382.10				24.00	368.00		25.00	1,260.38
TOTAL	\$21,482.34	\$29,846.47	\$5,761.29	\$2,269.46	\$422.39	\$67.20	\$330.01	\$17,770.30	\$125.84	\$74.14	\$69.44	\$2,693.48	\$3,179.21	\$49.65	\$5,494.96	\$88,109.43



# SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS

CHURCHES	SUPERINTENDENTS AND P. O.	SECRETARIES AND P. O.	No. Teachers and Officers	No. Scholars	Total Enrollment	Months Open	School Expenses	Missions	Orphanage	Other Objects	Total Contributions
Beaver Dam	J. B. Philbeck, Shelby R-4	Ralph Hamrick, Shelby R-4	7	133	140	12	\$ 46.00	\$	\$ 14.09	\$	\$ 60.09
Bethlehem	J. A. Dover, Kings Mountain R-5	J. C. Randall, Kings Mtn. R-2	11	187	198	12	82.32	13.05		37.65	133.02
Boiling Springs	O. N. Hamrick, Shelby R-3	Miss Connie Green, Shelby R-3	15	450	465	12	166.86	14.55	16.00	36.02	233.43
Buffalo	P. M. Mauney, Shelby R-1	Graham Perry, Shelby R-1	7	111	118	12	33.30		18.00	21.08	72.38
Casar	A. A. Richard, Casar	Chas. A. Wortman, Casar	6	98	104	12	19.22	11.68	4.13		35.03
Carpenter's Grove			6	48	54	9	10.00				10.00
Double Springs	J. N. Barnett, Shelby R-4	Thos. Philbeck, Lattimore	82	238	320	12	118.05	15.00			133.05
Double Shoals	J. W. Scism, Shelby R-6	C. R. Spangler, Lawndale	7	65	72	12	24.79	3.00			27.79
Elizabeth	J. A. Dycus, Shelby	Roy Wilson, Shelby	12	178	190	12	75.00				75.00
East Kings Mt'n.	R. L. Chaney, Kings Mountain	Ola Falls, Bessemer City	6	100	106	12	103.45	5.15			108.60
Fallston	E. A. Hoyle, Fallston	C. D. Stroup, Fallston	5	117	122	12	32.34		27.27		59.61
Flint Hill	T. D. McSwain, Shelby R-3	Mary Webb, Shelby R-3	6	50	56	12	18.28				18.28
Grover	J. B. Keeter, Grover	J. L. Parker, Grover	10	220	230	12	38.04	53.00	61.90		170.94
Kings Mountain	R. C. Gold, Kings Mountain	W. T. Parker, Kings Mountain	14	511	525	12	188.97	16.85	151.79	345.22	702.83
Lattimore	R. M. Wilson, Lattimore	W. S. Walker, Lattimore	12	224	236	12	77.77			98.97	176.74
Lawndale	Union School										
Macedonia	H. R. Bohler, Kings Mtn. R-5	Meak Foster, Kings Mountain	11	60	71	12					
Mt. Sinai	C. S. Rollins, Shelby R-2	L. Y. Putnam, Shelby R-2	7	92	99	12	19.20			9.30	28.50
New Bethel	Carme Elam, Lawndale	Forrest Hord, Lawndale	8	125	133	12	70.50		86.32		156.82
New Hope	M. C. Blanton, Blacksburg R-1	Gordon Lowery, Shelby R-7	20	136	156	12	65.31	10.10		7.00	82.41
New Prospect	J. B. Smith, Shelby R-1	Willie Devine, Shelby R-1	5	88	93	9	27.00				27.00
Norman's Grove	J. F. Cook, Lawndale R-4	R. A. Norman, Belwood	5	73	78	8	7.65				7.65
North Brooks	W. L. Lackey, Cherryville R-4	J. B. Farmer, Cherryville	3	40	43	8	5.00				5.00
Oak Grove	Elam McSwain, Kings Mtn., R-4	Kemp Ledford, Kings Mountain	7	88	95	12	25.91				25.91
Patterson Grove	W. C. Ledford, Kings Mountain	Hunter Ware, Kings Mountain	7	117	124	12	123.08				123.08
Patterson Station	G. M. Borders, Shelby R-7	Miss Coit King, Shelby R-7	7	81	88	12	20.60			1.50	21.50
Poplar Springs	J. D. Elliott, Jr., Shelby R-3	C. R. Ledbetter, Shelby R-2	10	105	115	12	48.39	2.55	4.60		55.54
Pleasant Hill	J. Y. Kendrick, Shelby R-7	Wilma Camp, Shelby R-7	7	85	92	12					
Pleasant Ridge	G. L. Hamrick, Lattimore	T. B. Webb, Shelby R-4	7	70	77	12	25.75				25.75
Pleasant Grove	F. C. Hendrick, Shelby R-8	J. P. Costner, Shelby R-8	8	122	130	12	16.00				16.00
Ross Grove	D. L. Houser, Shelby R-6	Miss Mildred Cabaniss, Shelby R-6	8	151	159	12	33.00				33.00
Sandy Plains	F. V. Whitner, Ellenboro R-3	S. C. Brooks, Lattimore	8	196	204	12	56.66			24.46	81.12
Shelby First	J. J. Lattimore, Shelby	L. F. McBrayer, Shelby	28	750	778	12	390.16		1,466.58	996.67	2,853.41
Shelby Second	J. D. Barnett, Shelby		14	400	414	12	251.32		91.34	150.00	492.66
Thomasson Grove	J. T. Hord, Kings Mountain	M. P. Patterson, Kings Mtn.	5	35	40	12					
Union	J. C. Campbell, Shelby	V. A. Powell, Lawndale	3	173	181	12					
Waco	D. B. Stroup, Waco	A. W. Black, Waco	13	143	156	12	75.44		41.56	119.17	236.17
Zion	J. W. Irvin, Shelby R-5	L. B. Nolan, Shelby R-6	8	94	102	9	25.00				25.00
Zoar	S. B. Hamrick, Shelby	Gladys Humphries, Shelby	9	60	69	12	50.98		24.00		74.98
TOTAL			438	6014	6452		\$2,370.74	\$144.93	\$2,007.58	\$1,847.04	\$6,388.29



TABLE SHOWING TIME, PLACE, &amp;C., From ORGANIZATION TO PRESENT TIME

Y'r.	Where Held	Intro. Sermon	Moderator	Clerk	Treasurer
1851	Double Springs	D. Pannell	T. Dixon	J. R. Logan	
1852	New Bethel	J. Suttle	T. Dixon	J. R. Logan	
1853	Boiling Springs	G. W. Rollins	D. Pannell	J. R. Logan	
1854	Mt. Sinai	D. Pannell	D. Pannell	J. R. Logan	
1855	Mt. Zion	G. W. Rollins	D. Pannell	J. R. Logan	
1856	New Prospect	T. Dixon	T. Dixon	J. R. Logan	
1857	Big Springs	G. W. Rollins	G. W. Rollins	J. R. Logan	
1858	Olivet	J. Suttle	G. W. Rollins	J. W. Green	
1859	Pleasant Hill	G. W. Rollins	L. M. Berry	J. R. Logan	
1860	High Shoals	L. M. Berry	L. M. Berry	J. R. Logan	
1861	Lincolnton	R. P. Logan	L. M. Berry	J. R. Logan	
1862	New Bethel	L. M. Berry	G. W. Rollins	J. R. Logan	
1863	Sandy Run	G. W. Rollins	G. W. Rollins	J. R. Logan	
1864	Bethel, Iredell Co.	L. M. Berry	R. P. Logan	J. R. Logan	
1865	Zoar	G. W. Rollins	R. P. Logan	J. R. Logan	
1866	Concord	P. R. Elam	R. Poston	J. R. Logan	
1867	Thessalonica	J. H. Yarbor	J. H. Yarboro	G. M. Webb	
1868	Mt. Paran	G. M. Webb	J. H. Yarboro	G. M. Webb	
1869	Double Springs	G. W. Rollins	G. W. Rollins	G. M. Webb	
1870	High Shoals	R. P. Logan	G. W. Rollins	G. M. Webb	
1871	Bethel, Iredell Co.	G. M. Webb	T. Dixon	G. M. Webb	
1872	Bethlehem	Wade Hill	T. Dixon	G. M. Webb	
1873	Zion	G. W. Rollins	G. W. Rollins	B. H. Bridges	
1874	Sandy Run	Wade Hill	G. W. Rollins	L. M. Logan	
1875	New Hope	T. Dixon	T. Dixon	L. M. Logan	
1876	Sandy Plains	G. W. Rollins	T. Dixon	L. M. Logan	
1877	Pleasant Hill	J. H. Yarboro	G. W. Rollins	B. H. Bridges	B. H. Bridges
1878	Boiling Springs	A. C. Irvin	T. Dixon	B. H. Bridges	
1879	New Prospect	H. Hatcher	A. L. Stough	L. M. Logan	
1880	Double Springs	P. R. Elam	T. Dixon	L. M. Logan	
1881	Buffalo	W. A. Nelson	T. Dixon	L. M. Logan	
1882	Bethel, R. Co.	A. L. Stough	J. Y. Hamrick	L. M. Logan	
1883	Pleasant Grove	G. P. Hamrick	J. Y. Hamrick	L. M. Logan	T. D. Lattimore
1884	Big Springs	A. C. Irvin	H. F. Schenck	L. M. Logan	T. D. Lattimore
1885	Grover	B. W. Bussey	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1886	Beaver Dam	G. M. Webb	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1887	New Bethel	J. D. Hufham	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1888	High Shoals	J. M. McManaway	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1889	Elizabeth	G. P. Hamrick	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1890	Zion	J. A. Speight	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1891	Waco	F. C. Hickson	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1892	Gastonia	G. F. Hamrick	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1893	Boiling Springs	J. L. Sproles	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1894	Shelby	A. C. Irvin	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1895	Bethlehem	J. D. Hufham	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1896	Lattimore	G. P. Hamrick	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1897	New Hope	A. C. Irvin	E. Y. Webb	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1898	Sandy Plains	T. Dixon	E. Y. Webb	D. S. Lovelace	J. F. Williams
1899	New Prospect	G. M. Webb	E. Y. Webb	D. S. Lovelace	J. F. Williams
1900	Double Springs	R. L. Limrick	E. Y. Webb	D. S. Lovelace	T. K. Barnett
1901	Cherryville	T. Dixon	E. Y. Webb	D. S. Lovelace	T. K. Barnett
1902	Pleasant Grove	R. N. Hawkins	H. F. Schenck	D. S. Lovelace	T. K. Barnett
1903	Pleasant Hill	R. F. Treadway	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace	T. K. Barnett
1904	Zoar	D. F. Putnam	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace	H. D. Wilson
1905	Kings Mountain	J. S. Farmer	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace	H. D. Wilson
1906	Beaver Dam	A. H. Sims	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace	H. D. Wilson
1907	Bessemer City	M. E. Parrish	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace	H. D. Wilson
1908	New Bethel	D. G. Washburn	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace	H. D. Wilson
1909	Boiling Springs	J. J. Beach	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace	H. D. Wilson
1910	Grover	C. A. Jenkins	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace	H. D. Wilson
1911	Elizabeth	J. M. Hamrick	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace	H. D. Wilson
1912	Mt. Zion	Wade Bostic	A. C. Irvin	D. S. Lovelace	H. D. Wilson
1913	Zion	L. W. Swope	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore	Geo. Blanton
1914	Poplar Springs	J. R. Miller	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore	Geo. Blanton
1915	New Hope	T. C. Holland	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore	Geo. Blanton
1916	Waco	W. E. Lowe	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore	Geo. Blanton
1917	Fallston	D. C. Washburn	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore	Geo. Blanton
1918	Union	D. F. Putnam	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore	Geo. Blanton
1919	Sandy Plains	W. R. Beach	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore	Geo. Blanton
1920	Ross Grove	M. Kester	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore	Geo. Blanton
1921	Bethlehem	W. G. Camp	J. W. Suttle	J. J. Lattimore	Geo. Blanton





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